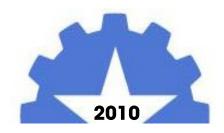
# servem**a**ntana symposium



Meeting critical community needs together through national service and volunteerism









February 10 - 11, 2010

Red Lion Colonial Hotel Helena, Montana serve.mt.gov

### ServeMontana Symposium

Red Lion Colonial Hotel, 2301 Colonial Drive, Helena, Montana

#### **AGENDA**

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Registration Lobby, 1st Floor

Hosted by RSVP Volunteers

8:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Preconference

> Learn and Serve—Jim Toole, PhD Meadowlark, 1st Floor

9:45 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Welcome Ballroom, 1st Floor

Denise Juneau

State Superintendent of Public Instruction

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. Visionary Leadership in Turbulent Times Ballroom, 1st Floor

Jim Toole, PhD, President of the Compass Institute

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Community Building Institute Opening Ballroom, 1st Floor

Beki Brandborg, Trainer

Corporation for National and Community Service Staff

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Luncheon Ballroom, 1st Floor

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Governor, 2nd Floor Senior Corps Track

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Session times:

Community Building Lifecycle Concurrent Sessions:

1:00 p.m. - 1:50 p.m. 2:00 p.m. - 2:50 p.m. 3:00 p.m. - 3:50 p.m. 4:00 p.m. - 4:50 p.m.

 Community Assessment Gallery, 1st Floor

Beki Brandborg, Trainer

 Creating Community Awareness, Meadowlark, 1st Floor

Stakeholder Involvement & Community Groups

Pat Murphy, Trainer

 Strategic Planning Montana, 2nd Floor

LaNette Diaz, Trainer

 Evaluation Clark, 2nd Floor

Maxine Jacobson, PhD, Trainer

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. **Building Strong Communities** Ballroom, 1st Floor

Best Practices Panel Discussion

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. A Celebration of Service! Ballroom, 1st Floor

All Member Gathering Reception

Hosted by the AmeriCorps Member Advisory Council

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#### Thursday, February 11, 2009

7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Registration Lobby, 1st Floor

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7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. Breakfast Ballroom, 1st Floor

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. <u>Concurrent Sessions</u>:

AmeriCorps VISTA—work plans
 Service Tools: An Introduction to
 Clark, 2nd Floor
 Lewis, 2nd Floor

the Resource Center

Audrey Finlayson, Senior Corps

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Concurrent Sessions:

Montana Disasters: Are You Ready?
 Judicial, 1st Floor

Karen Semple, Disaster & Emergency Services,

Lewis & Clark County

Lorri Ward Brown, Montana Citizen Corps

Working with Volunteers in Service Learning
 Capitol, 1st Floor

Heather Margolis, Service Learning Consultant

• Social Media for Social Causes Exec./Leg., 1st Floor

Doug McIsaac, Kinetic Marketing Group

10:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Break Ballroom Foyer

10:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Concurrent Sessions:

• Essential Understandings Regarding Lewis, 2nd Floor

Montana Indians

Mike Jetty, Office of Public Instruction

• Effective Strategies to Engage Rural Communities Clark, 2nd Floor

Paul Lachapelle, PhD, Montana State University

• Fast & Furious: An Introduction to Professional Capitol, 1st Floor

Volunteer Management

Colleen A. Baldwin, Missoula Senior Corps

Vicky Bostick, Missoula Senior Corps

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. ServeMontana Awards Luncheon Ballroom, 1st Floor

Montana Lieutenant Governor John Bohlinger and

First Lady Nancy Schweitzer

First Lady's Math & Science Award presentation

ServeMontana Award recipients: Darby Bread Box Committee, Darby, MT Ava Cook, Senior Corps, Lolo, MT

Zoe Zulakis, AmeriCorps State & AmeriCorps VISTA, Missoula, MT

Don Burrell, Volunteer, Thompson Falls, MT

Jefferson County Heritage Committee, Boulder, MT Mryna Burgess, Senior Corps, Lame Deer, MT

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#### Thursday, February 11, 2009 — continued

1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. The Restoration Economy:

Ballroom

Montana Youth Restoration Project

Panel discussion

John Porterfield, Porter Block, Inc.

Pat Wise, Governor's Office of Economic Development

Lee Gault, Montana Conservation Corps

Kevin McNellis, AmeriCorps VISTA Matt Vincent, Montana Tech

Linda Brander, Montana Department of Natural Resources

and Conservation

2:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. 2:15 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Break

Collaboration: Edward M. Kennedy Serve

America Act Focus Areas & Panel of Experts

**Concurrent Sessions:** 

Education

Lewis, 2nd Floor

**Ballroom Foyer** 

Facilitator: Maxine Jacobson, PhD, Praxis Deborah Halliday, Office of Public Instruction Heather Margolis, Service Learning Consultant Dale Kimmet, Office of Public Instruction Josh Vanek, Montana Campus Compact

Healthy Futures

Exec./Leg., 1st Floor

Facilitator: Vicki Turner, Montana Department of

Public Health & Human Services, Prevention Resource Center

Jackie Forba, Montana Department of Public Health &

Human Services, Children's Health Insurance Plan (CHIP)

Charlie Rehbein, Montana Department of Public Health &

Human Services, Senior and Long Term Care Division

Melanie Reynolds, Lewis and Clark City-County Public Health

• Energy/Environment

Veterans

Capitol, 1st Floor

Facilitator: LaNette Diaz, CASA of Montana

Kathleen Hadley, The National Center for Appropriate Technology (NCAT)

Ben Brouwer, Alternative Energy Resources Organization (AERO)

Greg Ross, Montana Conservation Corps

Sarah Hamlen, MSU Wind Energy Extension Program

Facilitator: Pat Murphy, Trainer & Consultant

Matt Kuntz, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)

Liann Meyer, Montana Supporting Soldiers

Phay Lloyd, RN, BSN, VA Montana Healthcare System

Brad Nelson, Department of Labor, State Veteran Program

• Economic Opportunity

Clark, 2nd Floor

Gallery, 1st Floor

Facilitator: Michelle Hauer, Rural Dynamics, Inc. Paul Lachapelle, PhD, Montana State University

Peggy Grimes, Montana Food Bank Network

Crissie McMullan, NCAT & Montana FoodCorps

Jim Nolan, Montana Department of Public Health & Human Services,

Human and Community Services Division

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closing: Going Forward Together in Service

Ballroom, 1st Floor

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